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Monday, November 3, 2014

Athens, Tennessee

LOCAL & AREA NEWS

◆ ELECTION DAY IS ALMOST HERE!!

The McMinn County Election Commission will be locking Provisional Ballot Boxes at the Courthouse Annex Conference room at 5 p.m. this evening and election supplies will be picked up at 6 p.m. this evening. On Tuesday, the polls will open at 9 a.m. and will close at 8 p.m. Election administrator, Kris Williams, tells the *MORNING FAX* that 5,226 voters cast early ballots this year, a slightly lower number compared to 2010, when 5,363 voters cast early ballots. We will publish election results in Wednesday's *MORNING FAX*. If you are not a current subscriber, click on the following link to get a **FREE** subscription: **SUBSCRIBE**

◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ Tennessee Wesleyan College will be hosting a MEDIC Blood Drive on Tuesday at the school's campus. Click or look at the TWC ad on page 2 for all the details.
- ✓ Keith Memorial United Methodist Church is opening its sanctuary on Tuesday, November 4th, from 8 a.m. until 8 p.m. for everyone who wants to pray for the votes being cast in Tuesday's election and for the men and women who will assume leadership roles in our government.

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WORLD & NATIONAL NEWS

◆ At least 45 people have been killed when a suicide bomber blew himself up on the Pakistani-Indian border, just after a daily ceremony when troops from both sides simultaneously lower the two nations' flags. Hundreds of people were at the border crossing near the Pakistani city of Lahore to witness the flags of both countries being lowered just before sunset. There was no immediate claim of responsibility for the attack, which took place on the Pakistani side of the border.

◆ An intense blaze tore through an apartment house near the University of Maine on Saturday, killing five people and critically injuring another. Investigators are trying to determine what caused the fire in the 94-year-old house. It was the state's deadliest fire in three decades.

◆ Islamic State group extremists lined up and shot dead at least 50 Iraqi tribesmen, women and children on Sunday. Islamic militants have killed some 150 members of the tribe in recent days.

◆ Police are looking for two people who abandoned a Honda SUV after the vehicle fatally struck three teenage girls who were trick-or-treating Friday night in the Los Angeles area.

FOOTBALL SCORES: The McMinn Central Chargers beat Chattanooga Central, 21 to 10 and Walker Valley defeated Soddy-Daisy, 34-27. The UT Vols, in a dramatic come from behind, beat South Carolina in overtime 45 to 42.



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Athens, Tennessee

Ribbon Cut at Crews Outfitters

The Athens Area Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting recently for a new member, Crews Outfitters of Athens. The business is located at 903-1 North Congress Parkway, Athens, across from the Valley Farmers Co-Op. They specialize in Guns, Ammo, & Safes. Their phone number is 423-665-9404. In the photo: (L-R) Karen Raby - Chamber Diplomat; Rob Preston Chamber President/CEO; Cheryl Ingram - McMinn County Register of Deeds; Jeremy Crews - Owner (holding son Cooper, age 2); Debbie Crews - wife of Jeremy (holding son Deacon, age 4 months); Dick Pelley - Athens City Council member; Joanne Arnett - Chamber Diplomat.




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Obituaries

- **Farrell David Frye**, age 69, of Athens, died Friday at his residence. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and retired from TVA. A Masonic service will be at 7 p.m. Monday with a funeral service following at Ziegler Funeral Home. Visitation is from 5-7 p.m. at Ziegler.
- **Penny Elaine Ratledge Jackson**, age 48, of Athens, died Wednesday at Starr Regional Medical Center of Athens. She was an employee of Thomas & Betts. Graveside services were held Sunday at Tranquility Cemetery with Ziegler Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.
- **Ted Haralson**, age 83, of Charleston, died Friday at his home. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force having served immediately after WWII and during the Korean War. He was retired from his business, C&C Auto Parts in Charleston. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Calhoun First Baptist Church. Bordwine Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.
- **Linda Susan Johnson McBee**, age 64, of Cleveland, died Thursday at Erlanger Medical Center in Chattanooga. She was a former employee of Forrest Hills Day Care. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at St. Mark's A.M.E. Zion Church with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. at the church. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.
- **Rev. James A. (Jack) Nunley**, age 78, of the Pond Hill Community, passed away Saturday morning at his residence. He pastored several churches in East Tennessee and preached at revivals throughout the Eastern U.S. Funeral services will at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Ziegler Funeral Home with visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. at Ziegler.
- **Helen Ruth Moore Standridge**, age 88, of Athens and formerly of Sweetwater, died Saturday night at Life Care Center of Athens. She worked at Athens Products until her retirement. A funeral service will be held Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Smith Funeral Home with visitation from 4 to 7:30 p.m. Monday at Smith. A committal service will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at East Sweetwater Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery.

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1493 - On his second voyage to America, Christopher Columbus sighted the island of Domica. He gave the mountainous island its name because it was a Sunday. Domica is the Latin word for Sunday.

1897 - Dow Jones & Company, a financial publishing firm, began to publish an average of the common stock prices of twelve industrial companies. It was simply a daily total of the prices of these stocks divided by 12. Over the years, this system of averaging has become a little more complicated - taking into account the distortion of averages caused by stock splitting, etc. Computation was expanded to hourly averaging and to include 30 industrial firms. It's now known as the Dow Jones Industrials Average.

1948 - Singer Lulu (real name Marie Lawrie) was born in Scotland. Her one big hit record was "To Sir With Love" in 1967.

1957 - A dog named Laika became the first animal in space when it traveled on a Russian rocket launched on this date.

1964 - Lyndon Johnson was elected President by the largest majority in history as of that date. He defeated Senator Barry Goldwater of Arizona.